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Appl. No. 09/389,250  
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: :  
Christian BAILLIF : Examiner: VO, Lillian  
Serial No.: 09/380,250 : Group Art Unit: 2127  
Filed: August 30, 1999 : Corres. To FR97/16699  
For: METHOD FOR ASSISTING THE : Filed December 30, 1997  
ADMINISTRATION OF A DISTRIBUTED :  
APPLICATION BASED ON A BINARY :  
CONFIGURATION FILE IN A COMPUTER :  
SYSTEM :  
: RECEIVED  
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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 8, 2003, the period for response for which is hereby extended to November 8, 2003 with the payment of a one-month extension fee, please amend the above-identified patent application as indicated herein.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 2 of this paper and include attached replacement sheets.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.